

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Takeshi OKADA

Serial No.

Group Art Unit:

Confirmation No.

Filed: June 8, 2001

Examiner:

For: JOINT STRUCTURE OF ROBOT

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please AMEND the pending claims in accordance with the following:

3. The joint structure of a robot according to claim 1, wherein said first and second members of the robot have a hollow structure inside, and said casing and said rotating member are provided with through holes around their common axis so that wiring and/or piping is secured inside the joint.

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**REMARKS**

In accordance with the foregoing, the claim 3 has been amended.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE**

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please AMEND the following claims:

3. (ONCE AMENDED) The joint structure of a robot according to claim 1 [or claim 2], wherein said first and second members of the robot have a hollow structure inside, and said casing and said rotating member are provided with through holes around their common axis so that wiring and/or piping is secured inside the joint.

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